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Central Mississippi Correctional Facility to receive American Correctional Association Audit Score Wednesday, September 11

The Central Mississippi Correctional Facility (CMCF) will find out today, Wednesday, September 11 if they will be recommended for accreditation by the American Correctional Association (ACA). An ACA Audit Team has spent three days at the Pearl, Mississippi prison looking over policies and procedures, facility conditions and talking with MDOC staff and inmates.

The media is invited to be present for the announcement by the ACA Auditing Team. The score for CMCF's audit will be announced at 3:00 p.m. at the state prison. Media interested in covering the announcement are asked to be at the institution by 2:45 p.m.

When: Wednesday, September 11, 2002

Where: Central Mississippi Correctional Facility, Pearl, Mississippi Time: 3:00 p.m. – Media requested to be at the prison by 2:45 p.m.

Directions: Head east on I-20 and take the Airport Road exit. Take a right on to Airport

Road and travel approximately 2 miles to the intersection of Highway 468. At the stop sign take a left and then a right, cross over the railroad tracks and travel approximately 2 miles. The entrance to the Central Mississippi Correctional

Facility will be to your right.